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In re the Application of:

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TRANSMISSION DOWNSHIFT USED FOR POWER BRAKING**

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**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This paper is filed further to the Amendment filed on March 6, 2009 in response to the Office Action dated November 7, 2008.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

Four replacement sheets of drawings are submitted with this paper.

A petition for a one-month extension of the time was submitted with the Amendment filed on March 6, 2009. This paper is timely filed because March 7, 2009 was a Saturday.